IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: KAUFFMAN

Serial No.: 09/507,966

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant requests that the time for responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, mailed April 5, 2000, be extended for a period of two (2) months from June 5, 2000 to and including August 5, 2000.

A fee of \$380.00 is believed to be due for the two-month extension. Please charge the required fee of \$380.00 to Pennie and Edmonds' Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date July 18, 2000

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